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Applicant(s): Toombs et al.  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition for a two-month extension of time within which to respond to the October 28, 2005 outstanding Office Action, such extension allowing the undersigned until March 28, 2006 to respond.

A check is enclosed that includes the amount of \$450.00, as set forth in the enclosed transmittal letter.

Respectfully submitted,

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